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01724076 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: DameWare Web Transport 1,0,5,5 (724076)

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TELEPHONE: (504) 626-7545

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 990401

...and others with a single, easy solution for packaging applications, ActiveX components and other electronic **data** for Internet **distribution** . A wizard-driven **interface** allows users to quickly create and digitally sign a 32-bit self-extracting EXE, CAB or INF file. DameWare Web Transport also provides for a mini-setup **process** which allows users to distribute their applications with self-extracting wizard setup files. This mini-setup **process** also allows users to **display** a license text file, register components, create short-cut groups and short-cut icons and includes un-install **functionality** . With the release of Internet Explorer 3.0, Microsoft added the ability to ship ActiveX **controls** and Java classes in a CAB file. Internet Explorer automatically recognizes this **format** and can download and decompress these files. However, creating a CAB file is no small...

...is used to digitally sign files. DameWare Web Transport solves these problems by rolling the **functionality** of each command-line utility into a simple wizard. DameWare Web Transport also helps to...

...Web Transport's Wizard walks users through creating their project and package files. It then **processes** the project and builds an EXE, CAB or INF file according to their specifications. DameWare...

...Transport saves packages within the specified project file as a template for future builds or **modifications** .

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01642851 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: PLATINUM AutoXfer 2.5 (642851)

Computer Associates International Inc (081957)
1 Computer Associates Plaza
Islandia, NY 11749 United States
TELEPHONE: (631) 342-5224

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 990701

PLATINUM AutoXfer 2.5 is a tool that brings order and **control** to distributed heterogeneous networks by **managing** the distribution, configuration, installation and upgrading of software. By **managing** these

processes more efficiently, it reduces overall software development cost (which is estimated to exceed \$8,000...
...UNIX, Windows, DOS and OS/2. It communicates with network platforms such as HP Open **View** , NetView for AIX and Sun Net **Manager** to share configuration information and operational alarms. The system's benefits include: (1) simplifies software distribution and **management** by providing an intuitive **GUI** (complex distributions are reduced to status color **displays** and automated installation procedures); (2) improves **manageability** of the software distribution **process** by centralizing production **control** ; (3) reduces costs by automatically handling hundreds of distributions simultaneously (no manual intervention is required...

DESCRIPTORS: **Data** Center Operations; **Distributed** **Processing** ; Network Administration Tools; Network Software; **Change** & Configuration Management

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01638765 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: SmartStream Budget (638765)

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TELEPHONE: (404) 239-2000

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 970731

SmartStream Budget contains three major application components which include Budget **Management** , Budget Workbench and Budget Analysis. A budget **manager** can employ all of these components, integrated in the SmartStream desktop environment. Most users throughout...

...application. All of the SmartStream Budget application components feature an easy-to-use Microsoft Windows **interface** , with toolbars and consistent online Help and enterprise policies to ensure **control** and consistency. Budget **Management** lets users administer all phases of the budgeting **process** , allowing them to shorten the budgeting cycle, automate budget distribution, perform top-down budgeting, maintain...

...and Forecast) and load data into the system from their current financial systems. The budget **manager** can easily maintain budget data with activities to **adjust** large volumes of budget balances, **manage** multiple budget versions and create rolling budgets. From this pool of enterprise data, the budget **manager** defines which sets of budget **data** will be **distributed** to users throughout the organization. At any point in the budgeting **process** , the budget **manager** can monitor the status of each individual user from a single list. The Budget Workbench provides the tools and environment for detailed, day-to-day budgeting. Individual **managers** can input prepared budget data from the server to the workbench, where they can complete...

...detailed calculations and assumptions to support their budget numbers. Key features include: (1) tools to **adjust** balances by percentages or fixed amounts; (2) spread a total amount across periods; (3) copy...
...to periods in a run-rate mode; (4) update multiple amount classes or periods; (5) **view** variances; (6) add explanatory notes to the budget; and (7) create backup versions for distribution...

...which gives users the information they need to make better planning decisions during the budgeting **process** . For example, users could use decision support to consolidate in-progress budgets, identify sources of...

...for accessing information and creating custom reports from information anywhere in the enterprise; (2) SmartStream **Management** Reporter to create structured financial statements, such as balance sheets or P&Ls, etc.

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01615706 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: CA-24x7 for DB2 (615706)

Computer Associates International Inc (081957)
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Islandia, NY 11749 United States
TELEPHONE: (631) 342-5224

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 970203

...optional component of CA's DB2 performance monitor entitled CA-Insight for DB2. Most 24x7 **functions** are available via an additional menu option that appears on the CA-Insight toolbar while some of the features such as Cancel Thread are integrated directly into existing CA-Insight **displays** . Security is **controlled** based upon CA-Insight for DB2's security scheme. It enables users to use the integrated scheduling system to **control** particular sets of customized parameter values such as those in which **changes** are made to the buffer pool size during peak **processing** hours. The system allows users to cancel DB2 threads directly from the Active Threads (THRDACTV...

...Users can also bring in new exits that affect the security, editproc, date and time **formats** and log capture exits. Users can dynamically **change** most DB2 startup parameters (ZPARMS) and dynamically **alter** parameters for such things as buffer pools, security, logging, storage sizes, application programming defaults, **data** definition **control** , **distributed data** facilities, operator **functions** , IRLM and locking.

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01276049 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: CA-Top Secret/DB2 (276049)

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TELEPHONE: (631) 342-5224

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 951205

CA-Top Secret/DB2 provides comprehensive access **control** for critical DB2

database resources. Through CA90s and a common security **interface** with CA-Top Secret, it provides consistent security and logging for DB2 and facilitates auditing...

...It enables the security administrator to enforce protection and audit DB2 databases, table spaces, tables, **views**, plans, packages, collections, columns, buffer pools, Stogroup elements and **management functions** and utilities such as SYSADM and RECOVER through its administrative structures and reporting facilities. It also prevents the DB2 database administrator from circumventing or eliminating **controls** established by the security administrator. The system makes use of the CA-Top Secret profile...

...secondary authorization IDs, while retaining individual accountability and increasing performance. It also eliminates the cascade **effect**. The DBA can continue to structure and tune the DB2 database design without any risk of disrupting or **altering** any security definitions. The program includes a utility that converts existing native DB2 Grants into...

...catalog synchronization for compatibility with other vendor products that read the DB2 catalog. The DB2 **Distributed Data Facility** (DDF) is supported.

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00417150 96PV03-001

MSBACKUP prevents data disasters; Juggling Windows; Basic training -- PC operating instructions

Schmidt, Robert; Burbach, Vicki; Mainelli, Tom
PC Novice , March 1, 1996 , v7 n3 p15-19, 5 Page(s)
ISSN: 1052-1186

MSBACKUP prevents data disasters; Juggling Windows; Basic training -- PC operating instructions

PC OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS presents a section on computer instruction . Articles include: ``MSBACKUP Prevents Data Disasters'' (p15-16) by Robert Schmidt, discussing data protection with this DOS utility program...

... while using Windows 3.1; and ``Basic Training'' (p18-19) by Tom Mainelli, describing the **steps** involved in naming files, **changing** drives, **changing** directories, and freeing memory within DOS, OS/2 Warp, Windows 3.1, and Windows 95. Includes two screen **displays** . (bjp)

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00402168 95WN11-053

The Win95 road map -- This month: WordPad

Windows Magazine , November 1, 1995 , v6 n12 p279-288, 6 Page(s)
ISSN: 1060-1066
Company Name: Microsoft
Product Name: Microsoft WordPad; Microsoft Windows 95

Focuses on the usage of the Windows 95 WordPad utility. Uses annotated screen **displays** to illustrate various tools in WordPad, including: the File lfunction0 and its Print and Paper Properties features; the Edit **function** and its Replace feature; the View tool and its Options feature; the Insert **function** ; and the Format **function** and its Font feature. Attention is given to such details of these **functions** as **altering** text **attributes** ; setting a text **block** 's justification; viewing a document's printed form in advance; printing multiple copies of an...

... line in the text; turning highlighted text into bulleted lists; and underlining, striking out, or **altering** the color of selected text. Includes 11 screen **displays** . (jo)

Descriptors: Word **Processing** ; Window Software; Text; Utility Program

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00388011 95IW06-310

Xircom's modem card: communications server on a board

Kvitka, Andre
InfoWorld , June 26, 1995 , v17 n26 p80, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0199-6649
Company Name: Xircom
Product Name: MultiPort Modem Card

... Output drivers which work with NetWare Connect, Microsoft Remote Access Service, and other Network Driver **Interface** Specification WAN-compliant software. Reports that installation is straightforward; **changing** the I/O port address, interrupt request, and mode settings is easy; and the card's Xircom Mobile API eliminates UART character-

processing bottlenecks by using **block** -mode data transfer via shared memory. However, notes that Xircom says in its README file...

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00339204 94PI02-005

Aldus PhotoStyler: more than retouched for version 2.0

Simone, Luisa
PC Magazine , February 8, 1994 , v13 n3 p44, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: Aldus
Product Name: Aldus PhotoStyler

... the Kodak Precision Color System which provides Precision Transforms (PTs) for specific input, output, and **display** devices to calibrate and **adjust** colors based upon scanner, printer, and monitor capabilities. This release now supports OLE, but only the 1.0 specification, and some editing **functions** are **restricted** to RGB color space. Its new **interface** makes it easier to use and a more productive tool. Includes two screen **displays** . (djd)

Descriptors: Image **Processing** ; Window Software; Software Review

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00327757 93IW10-209

Da Vinci eMail -- Making the most of messaging

Marshall, Patrick
InfoWorld , October 18, 1993 , v15 n42 p82, 86, 90+, 6 Page(s)
ISSN: 0199-6649
Company Name: Da Vinci Systems
Product Name: Da Vinci eMail

... Requires Windows. Says Da Vinci eMail features two installation types, an easy to use word **processor** , support for **block** editing, a spell checker, 28 message forms, tools for searching messages, password protection, a Names...

... OLE is not supported, sent messages could not be retrieved, the message forms could not **modified** , messages are not encrypted until they reach a mailbox, and the documentation could use work. Given a score of 6. points. Includes a screen **display** . (tbc)

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00306773 93PI03-067

NOVI

Quain, John R
PC Magazine , March 16, 1993 , v12 n5 p240, 243, 2 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: Symantec
Product Name: NOVI

... cyclic redundancy check, locks the headers of EXE files, monitors boot and partition tables, and **prevents** file **attribute** **changes** . It can write-protect files and a Halt option is available which prevents novice users...

... program is better at virus prevention than detection and removal.

Includes one illustration, one screen **display** . (djd)

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00288690 92CN09-005

Direct database access with DBMaster -- MWB Design Group

Sawdy, Scott G
Cadence , September 1, 1992 , v7 n9 p93-95, 3 Page(s)
ISSN: 0887-9141
Company Name: MWB Design Group
Product Name: DBMaster

... Design Group of Lino Lakes, MN (612). Requires AutoCAD Release 12. Says DBMaster works with **blocks** containing **attributes** , locks a database against **changes** caused by **changes** on a drawing, handles one or more drawings and projects, and can link an object to a database; but the database locking capability is poorly executed. Includes six screen **displays** and a product summary. (tbc)

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00273067 92DD04-007

Multituser DOS for control systems: part I -- A multitasking - yet compatible - alternative to DOS

Kryszak, Richard
Dr. Dobb's Journal , April 1, 1992 , v17 n4 p70-79, 110+, 8 Page(s)
ISSN: 1044-789X
Company Name: Digital Research
Product Name: SYSTEM.C; DRMDOS

Multituser DOS for control systems: part I -- A multitasking - yet compatible - alternative to DOS

Presents a C language program listing, SYSTEM.C, which contains code for an **interface** library. Discusses DRMDOS (\$695), the multituser, preemptive multitasking DOS operating system for 386SX PCs or...

...interprocess communication features of DRMDOS. Describes the features of the program listing which makes background **processes** , causes a **process** to give up the CPU, and **changes** the priority of a **function** or causes it to be put onto a delayed **process** list. Also discusses multiple **processes** sharing a **block** of memory, and the use of queues to pass data between two **processes** . Contains two program listings and one illustration. (jo)

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00238526 91PW04-040

MicroPhone II 1.0

Heim, Judy
PC World , April 1, 1991 , v9 n4 p147, 149, 2 Pages
ISSN: 0737-8939

...2.1 or later, DOS 3.3 or later, a hard disk, and a graphics **display** . The program lacks a dialing directory, provides no on-line text editor, has only three...

... It does not support DDE. Although it includes several pre-defined scripts, they must be **modified** before use, and setting up a script for a

new service is very involved. It has a limited scripting language and its learn mode does not record pauses. Its limited **functionality** prevents it from being recommended. Includes one screen **display** . (djd)

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00208914 90MU01-021

Computerized Classic Bookkeeping A spreadsheet-based accounting systems 'Excels' as an alternative to bigger, dedicated packages.
Landis, Ken
MacUser , January 1, 1990 , v6 n1 p74-75, 2 Pages
ISSN: 0884-0997

Computerized Classic Bookkeeping A spreadsheet-based accounting systems 'Excels' as an alternative to bigger, dedicated packages.
... to use, making use of a full menu-driven command system. It includes a standard **function** that **prevents** the posting of unbalanced journals and full audit-trail and password-protection options. Besides the accounting **functions** , the program can also be used for record keeping. Only weaknesses noted are that the...

...or accountants who use manual write-up systems for their general ledger. Includes two screen **displays** . (djd)

21/3,K/11 (Item 11 from file: 233)
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00206809 89PI12-133

DeskMate
Fersko-Weiss, Henry
PC Magazine , December 26, 1989 , v8 n22 p153, 162, 2 Pages
ISSN: 0888-8507

... clearly aimed at the home market, as most of the applications are quite limited in **functionality** . The best of the applications is the word **processor** , which offers **block** move and edit features, **adjustable** margins, search-and-replace, headers and footers, and a spelling checker. Records cannot be imported...

... from scratch, the spreadsheet is only 99 rows by 99 columns and offers only 16 **functions** . The integration of the applications in the package is coarse. A good choice only for users whose tasks are limited in scope and require little formatting capability. Includes one screen **display** , one graph. (djd)

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00106310 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: SystemView 2.0 Windows 95 & NT (478393); Automatic Program Generator (697711)

TITLE: Model compilation to DLL or executable speeds simulation
AUTHOR: Shearman, Sam
SOURCE: Personal Eng & Instrumentation News, v14 n10 p15(2) Oct 1997
ISSN: 0748-0016
HOME PAGE: <http://www.pein.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Review
GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20000830

Elanix's Automatic Program Generator (APG) is an add-on for SystemView that adds **functions** for converting **block** diagram models from SystemView 2.0 into 32-bit compiled executables or Dynamic Link Libraries...
...speed up to 50 times over models running in the design-time environment. APG requires **Visual C++** 4.1 or higher, and generates standalone Windows NT/Windows 95 executables with an intuitive user **interface**. The graphical user **interface** (**GUI**) allows users to **change** simulation parameters, including sample rate and timebase. An analysis button on the UI exports results...

...method can hasten often-used parts of a model and retain the ability to quickly **change** other parts. The main package also gains some speed enhancements, because more **effective** coding of model **blocks** enhances simulation speed of models running in the base environment up to four times over, when compared to earlier releases. Custom tokens are added for signal sources and **functions**, which are easier to deploy and do not require the extra cost of the User...

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00101689 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Net.Medic Windows 95 & Windows NT (663344)

TITLE: Net.Medic: It's Just What The Doctor Ordered
AUTHOR: Hoffman, Richard
SOURCE: Network Computing, v8 n10 p44(2) Jun 1, 1997
ISSN: 1046-4468
HOMEPAGE: <http://www.NetworkComputing.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review
REVIEW TYPE: Review
GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20000830

...window pw a remote site and routers. Statistical reporting tools provide powegnostic data, and the **interface** has many niceties. For instance, a sm on the task bar **changes** from its default green to yellow or red to ars to problems. Net.Medic is...
...pack come back to it, and it uses passive monitoring and packet-flow-analhods. These **functions** **prevent** Net.Medic from being a resource-intensiical front end for point and trace-route, which...

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00100015 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Microsoft Windows NT 4.0 (347973); Microsoft Visual Basic 4 (328081)Tel Windows NT & OS/2 (512044); EASE for Windows NT (391522); POWERVO& Windows (571041)

TITLE: The Changing App Gen Landscape
AUTHOR: Kahan, Russell
SOURCE: Teleconnect, v14 n12 p56(14) Dec 1996
ISSN: 0740-9354

Homepage: <http://www.teleconnect.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review
REVIEW TYPE: Review
GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20000830

...PRODUCT NAMES: 347973); Microsoft Visual Basic 4...

TITLE: The Changing App Gen Landscape

...generators (app gens for short), which are development toolan facilitate the writing of programs to **process** telephone calls on abed software/hardware platform. Microsoft's Microsoft Windows NT 4.0 iable system that handles multitasking well and runs on lower-priced . Microsoft's Microsoft **Visual Basic** 4 offers an easy, object-orientege, allowing for abstraction and bundling of low-level...

...form a high-level view of the application. Accg dialog boxes refine details in the **block** 's **function** . EASE from Expems can handle up to 48 lines and offers a range of features...

...DESCRIPTORS: Develids; MS-DOS; OS/2; Voice Mail; Telephone Monitoring Systems; Windows; Telepsage Handling; Operating Systems; **Visual Basic**

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00099109 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Simpsons Cartoon Studio (648272)

TITLE: Tune in to Bart and Co. With The Simpsons Cartoon Studio

AUTHOR: Schenk, Robert E
SOURCE: Computer Shopper, v17 n1 p292(1) Jan 1997
ISSN: 0886-0556
Homepage: <http://www.cshopper.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review
REVIEW TYPE: Review
GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20001130

...to produce 'Simpsons' segments using a PC. Included are backgrounds, characters, props, stills, and sound **effects** from the **blockbuster** TV show. The main screen offers a choice of buttons for quick animation building using...

...characters from the TV series. 35 backgrounds, over 250 moving and stationary props, 20 special **effects** , and many sound bytes that have the actual voices of the TV characters are available through the **interface** . Users can add background music and sound **effects** as well. Users begin creating cartoons by clicking the Background button to choose a backdrop...

...or users can edit out and add components of the cartoon. A provided Layer Manager **changes** characters' order of appearance or props. The cartoons can be exported and distributed on floppies...

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00096824 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Embedded Systems (830390)

TITLE: Embedded software poses challenges with growth, complexity

AUTHOR: Williams, Tom

SOURCE: Computer Design, v35 n10 p91(2) Sep 1996

ISSN: 0010-4566

HOME PAGE: <http://www.computer-design.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis

GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 19970530

...and stereo or TV remote controls. Many experts have input to the embedded software design **process**, and many are nonprogrammers. Users are engineers and other professionals and specialists in other technical...

...the specialist's knowledge to the software developer and to create software in different, reusable, **functional** building **blocks**. **Visual** development tools sometimes allow the nonprogrammer to link items together to produce a working program...

...a chemical engineer who needs various types of measurements can use a library of instrumentation **functions** to design a virtual instrument that runs on a PC while connecting to external sensors to perform needed tasks. The virtual instrument can be saved and later **changed** or added to a larger instrument array without beginning again. Reference designs and development management...

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Unigraphics 10.4 Beta (485021); Unigraphics 10.3 (485021)

TITLE: EDS/Unigraphics V10.4

AUTHOR: Smith, Alan D

SOURCE: Computer-Aided Engineering, v14 n3 p32(2) Mar 1995

ISSN: 0733-3536

HOME PAGE: <http://www.penton.com/cae/>

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...Unigraphics 10, a hybrid 3D solid modeler, runs on several UNIX s to provide less **restricted** and limited design **functions**. Unigraphics unconstrained geometry that is totally **modifiable**, with full supported IGES 3D or surface data included. The menu system complies fu Motif...
...scroll bars like those on Windows products. Well imp module integration includes a new user **interface** with a Gateway to n **functions**. Four customization levels are supported, including a macrer, GRIP programming language, UFUNC library of C-type routines, and solid solid modeling kernel. Many other **functions** and advantages are d, and Unigraphics is recommended without reservation, especially forlity to use surface...

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Picture Publisher for Windows NT 4.0 (208001)

TITLE: Picture Publisher NT Beta Proves Powerful

AUTHOR: Sullivan, Eamonn

SOURCE: PC Week, v11 n13 p75(1) Apr 4, 1994

ISSN: 0740-1604

HOME PAGE: <http://www.pcweek.com>

RECORD TYPE: Review

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...best, most productive multithreading options in the Windows graphics market. The product's Task Manager **displays** background activities for large-image load and save and for using complex filters and **effects**. A group of buttons allow the user to **halt** background **processes** and monitor status. During test, editing of images 8 MB to 18 MB in size could be edited in low-resolution mode, with the **changes** applied automatically to the full-resolution image. The Windows NT version of Picture Publisher is...

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